PROGRAMME OF SPORTS TO-DAY. GOLF.-Mixed foursome handicap, Ocean county Hunt and Country Club, Lakewood, N. J. CHESS.—Intercollegiate tournament, New-

SHOOTING.—International tournament, St. BASKET-BALL.—Central Young Men's Chris-tian Association of Brooklyn agt. Knicker-bocker Athletic Club, Knickerbocker Club house.

CYCLING.

LOGAN WHEELMEN HOLD THEIR ELEC-TION OF OFFICERS.

THE BICYCLE GAINING IN FAVOR IN THE SOUTH-

TO RIDE THE NEW YEAR IN. The annual election of the Logan Wheelmen was held at the clubhouse, in Sixth-ave., Brooklyn, on Tuesday evening. There were two tickets in the field, and the livelest interest was manifested in the result. The independents were victorious, electing all except two of their men. John Barnett, who has been president of the organization, was elected for the fourth time. Mr. Barnett has been an earnest worker in the cause of the club since its organization, and when his name was left off the regular ticket his friends determined to elect him on an independent ticket. Mr. Barnett is the bim on an independent ticket. Mr. Barnett is the president of the Associated Cycling Clubs of Long Island, and the L. A. W. representative for this district. The other officials elected were as follows: Wr B. Worthen, vice-president; W. P. Larbig, treasurer; W. H. Keag, financial secretary; F. B. Coates, corresponding secretary; E. H. Smith, captain, W. J. Benttle, first fleutenant, and Dr. John M. Taylor, surgeon.

H. M. Fisher, the chief consul of South Carolina, was in the city yesterday and met President
Potter in the afternoon. "The bicycle is steadily
gaining favor in the South," said Mr. Fisher. "Why, I remember four years ago when we began to take an interest in the work of the L. A. W. we had probably fifty riders of the wheel in we had probably hity riders of the wheel in Charleston. Now we have at least seven thousand. One-third of our streets are asphalted, and we have a shell road ten miles long, which furnishes an ideal wheelway. From this shell road bicycle paths branch off in several directions. Our women are also taking a lively interest in bicycling, and they form a majority of our riders at present. they form a majority of our riders at present. We are having our real riding season down there now; in fact, you will see more wheels out at this time than you will in the summer." Mr. Fisher says that some of the Southern divisions cannot afford to spend the money necessary to send a representative to the National Assembly of the L. A. W., and he favors a plan by which these divisions will be able to send proxies to the secretary of the League, who will vote them. Instructions should be sent with each proxy. An amendment to this effect will be introduced by President Potter.

Dr. L. C. Leroy, of the New-York Consulate, is at the head of a movement to have a large party of L. A. W. men ride the old year out and the new year in. The wheelmen will meet at some point uptown, and then select their route. The chances are that the cold weather cyclists will make it a point to be in the neighborhood of the Circle so as to witness the start of the New Year's Eve race to Yonkers and Tarrytown.

Considerable misunderstanding seems to be felt regarding the rulings of the Racing Board in the Madison Square Garden case. The Board ruled Madison Square Garden case. The Board ruled the Garden out for permitting outlaw races. In speaking of the matter yesterday James E. Sullivan, of the Amateur Athletic Union, said: "The position of Mr. Mott is perfectly clear to those who want to understand. No organization allied with the L. A. W. or A. A. U. can hold bicycle races there at present. It does not affect any other pranch of sport. As the Knickerbocker Athletic Club will not hold cycle races in connection with its meet on January 13, the ruling of the Racing Board of the L. A. W. does not affect us in any way."

Some opposition is manifested to the selection of D. J. O'Brien, of Nebraska, for the treasurership of the L. A. W. It is intimated that the chances are that J. C. Tattersall, of New-Jersey, will be re-elected treasurer.

Albert Mott, the chairman of the Racing Board of the L. A. W., has gone to Florida with his family to take a two weeks' vacation.

There were thirty-three new members who joined the L. A. W. last week, of which number New-York had ten. This brings the total membership up to 75,983.

The Madison Wheelmen will hold their annual ball on January 6 at the Central Opera House. An exhibition of trick riding will be a feature of the programme. Delegations from numerous cycling organizations have arranged to be present.

DRIVERS HELD FOR NOT HAVING LIGHTS. The order issued to the precinct police captains of New-York City on Tuesday night by Chief of Police Devery became operative last night in the down ecincis. It was in regard to the "Rules of the Road," and especially as to Section 3, which

Each and every vehicle excepting licensed trucks using the public highways of this city shall show from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise a light or lights, so placed as to be seen from the front and each side, such light to be of sufficient illuminating power to be visible at a distance of 200 feet; said light or lights shall show white in front, but may be colored on the sides.

That the police captains gave strict orders to watch for violators of the ordinance was shown by the number of arrests as early as 7:30 o'clock, when five delinquents were locked up in the Oak-st, sta-tion alone.

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HOCKEY.

SPORTSMEN. SCHEDULE OF GAMES FOR THE AMATEUR HOCKEY LEAGUE-THE GAMES WILL BE PLAYED AT THE ST. NICHOLAS

AND CLERMONT AVENUE RINKS. The schedule of championship games of the Amateur Hockey League has just been arranged. The season will begin on January 5 and extend to and including March 9. The opening game will be played at the St. Nicholas Rink between the New-York Athletic and the Montclair teams. The

January 5-St. Nicholas, New-York Athletic Club vs. Montelair.

Jenuary 6—Clermont Avenue, Brooklyn va, Hockey Club,
January 11—St. Nicholas, Brooklyn vs. Montelair.

January 12—Clermont Avenue, New-York Athletic Club
vs. St. Nicholas,
January 17—Clermont Avenue, New-York Athletic Club
vs. Brooklyn.

January 16—Clermont Avenue, New-York Athletic Club
vs. Brooklyn.

19-St. Nicholas, St. Nicholas vs. Hockey Hockey Club.

January 31—St. Nicholas, St. Nicholas va. Brooklyn.
February 2—Clermont Avenue, Montelair vs. Hockey

February 7-St. Nicholas, Brooklyn vs. New-York Athletic Club.
February 9—St. Nicholas, St. Nicholas vs. Montelair,
February 14—Clermon: Avenue, Brooklyn vs. Montelair,
February 16—St. Nicholas, New-York Athletic Club vs.
Hockey Club.
February 21—St. Nicholas, Brooklyn vs. Hockey Club.
February 23—St. Nicholas, New-York Athletic Club vs.
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March 2—St. Nicholas, Hockey Club vs. Montclair.

March 7—St. Nicholas, New-York Athletic Club vs.

Montclair.

March 9—St. Nicholas, St. Nicholas vs. Hockey Club.

POLO.

New-York by "Lew" Morris, Jersey City by Willby Walter Burnham and Brooklyn by J. C. Chap-The Brooklyn and Philadelphia clubs have both dropped out of the league, and Yonkers was taken in in Brooklyn's place. Chapman will man-

taken in in Brooklyn's place. Chapman will manage the Yonkers team. Yonkers has had a team playing at the rink in Yonkers, and, with Tobin, Tierney and Murphy, of Brooklyn, they will be somewhat strengthened. There were several applications made for admission to the league, which will be considered at the next meeting, on January 4. Allen, Philadelphia's goal-tender, will go to Newark. The league race will stand as it is, with Yonkers taking Brooklyn's place.

A new schedule was adopted, beginning to-night, when Jersey City will play New-York at Grand Central Palace. The other games are: December 30, Newark at Jersey City; December 32, Yonkers at Newark and New-York at Jersey City; Jenuary 2, New-York at Yonkers in afternoon, and in evening, Yonkers vs. New-York, at Grand Central Palace; January 2, Jersey City at Newark in afternoon, and in evening Newark at Yersey City; January 4, New-York at Newark and Yonkers at Jersey City; January 5, Newark vs. New-York, at Grand Central Palace; January 6, Newark at Yonkers, and January 7, New-York at Jersey City and Yonkers at Newark.

CRICKET.

PACEY, THE BELMONT CRICKET CLUB'S PROFES-SIONAL, TO REMAIN IN ENGLAND.

Pacey, the well-known professional of the Belmont Cricket Club, has decided to remain in England, to which country he returned recently. The decided to engage two professionals next season to fill his place. The membership of the club is now fill his place. The membership of the club is now increasing rapidly, and nearly one hundred new members have been recently elected. The new Board of Directors starts the year facing a floating debt of about \$5.500, resulting from the annual deficit of recent years. The club mortgages, however, amount to only \$65,000 on property valued at \$120,000, while the city of Philadelphia is in the club's debt for \$8,000 for a damage award. With the dues from the increased membership and other plans which have been adopted to increase the club's income, it is expected that at the end of 1898 the Board will be able to show a surplus instead of a deficit.

SKATING.

ANOTHER RACE BETWEEN HORNFECK AND MERRITT.

At the recent races at Verona Lake, Montclair, N. J., there were several challenges made after the races. Max Hornfeck, of Montclair, has acthe races. Max Hornfeck, of Montclair, has accepted the challenge from W. H. Merritt, of St. John, N. B., to skate one mile. Hornfeck is to have fifty yards handicap. The Montclair boy defeated the Canadian with this allowance in a mile race. The race was almost a dead heat, but Hornfeck won by several inches. Hornfeck likes Verona Lake, but is willing to give Merritt an opportunity to redeem himself at Poughkeepsie next month. "Sparrow" Robertson will probably add a special one-mile race for boys at the Poughkeepsie amateur meet. Hornfeck will also meet Le Roy Sie in a five-mile race.

NO SKATING AT LOCAL PARKS.

GOOD SPORT AT VAN CORTLANDT PARK AND SUE URBAN PONDS, BUT NONE PROMISED AT

CENTRAL AND PROSPECT PARKS

According to the information received from the Police Department in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn last night, skaters will be fortunate of the lakes in Central Park and Prospect Park much before Monday. At both parks it was said that the high winds had prevented the ice from forming at exposed places and under the bridges and that they did not think it would be safe to

open the lakes to the public this week.

Those who visited the lakes yesterday were of the opinion that the authorities are particularly

the opinion that the authorities are particularly cautious regarding the safety of the public, and they believed that if the present cold snap continues through to-day and to-morrow the ice on all of the lakes will be strong enough to hold a regiment of soldiers before Saturday morning. They pointed to the fact that skating has been allowed in both parks, even when the ice was not solid enough under the bridges.

The ice was in splendid condition in Van Cortlandt Park yesterday, but the throng of skaters was not as large as was expected. The sudden drop in the temperature and the high winds were a little too much for the average skater, who does not enjoy bucking a young blizzard, even to indulge in his favorite and healthful winter sport. The suburban ponds around Brooklyn, in New-Jersey and on Staten Island are all frozen over solid and suburbanites enjoyed the sport to their fill.

CURLING.

NORTH AND SOUTH OF SCOTLAND TO PLAY

TO-DAY FOR THE DALRYMPLE MEDAL. The North against the South of Scotland match played to-day under the auspices of the Grand National Curling Club of America, at Van Cortlandt Lake. The contest will begin at 1 o'clock. It is announced by the officials of the club that all the annual National meoal matches will be games of seventeen heads or ends.

Here is a list of some of the games yet to be

Pirst round of the champion club match for the Mitchell medal at 10 a. m. on January 4 at the Hoboken Rink. All skips must be on hand to draw for their rinks or forfeit. John McMillan will be the official referee of the contest.

Champion rink match for the Gordon medal, to take place at a time to be specified by the executive officer of the St. Paul club, at St. Paul. Interstate match. New-York against New-Jersey, for the Hamilton medal, date and location of match to be arranged by the officers of the Grand National Club.

Club.

Match of the Scots against other nationalities for the McLintock medal, to be played from January 9 to 23, inclusive, wherever affiliated clubs are located.

International two-rink match for the Gordon medal, to be played at Montreal at a time to be mutually arranged by the officers of the clubs having power to do so.

GOLF CLUB MAKES DENIALS. Members of the Wee Burn Golf Club say it is

untrue that the links were laid out in Darien to avoid a clash with the Sunday law, and that Wilson L. Baldwin had been arrested two years ago on a charge similar to that on which he was fined on Tuesday. POULTRY, PIGEON AND PET STOCK SHOW.

Poultry, pigeons and pet stock will hold possession of Madison Square Garden for five days, ginning January 31 and closing February 4. New-York Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Associa-tion, with its tenth annual exhibition, will add to its record for complete shows, which are appreits record for complete shovs, which are appreciated by the poultry people and by the public. T. A. Havemeyer, Jr., is president, Philander Williams, Thomas H. Terry and James Forsyth vice-presidents, Charles M. Griffing treasurer, H. V. Crawford is secretary and superintendent, and all entries will positively close with him on January is at his office, in Montelair, N. J. In the pet stock department there will be a fine showing of rabbits and cavies, and there are twenty-six classes for cate in the premium list. TIED FOR FIRST PLACE.

HARVARD AND COLUMBIA TOGETHER IN THE COLLEGE CHESS MATCH.

In the third round of the intercollegiate tourna In the third round of the intercollegiate tournament, which was played at the Columbia Grammar School, in this city, yesterday, both representatives of Columbia, won their games, but as Harvard only succeeded in adding one victory to her total numbers of wins, both these colleges had registered 4½ points each. Princeton did not score at all, but Yale at last managed to win a game. The players were paired as follows: Falk (Columbia) vs. Ely (Princeton); Cook (Yale) vs. Arensberg (Harvard), Meyer (Columbia) vs. Webb (Yale), and Weston (Princeton) vs. Southard (Harvard).

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SECOND TABLE-QUEEN'S PAWN OPENING. WHITE BLACK,
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33 B - B 4 R - B 6.

35 K - R 2 R - B 7 ch

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37 P - R 5 B - K t 7 ch

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41 R - K 8 ch K - K 1.

42 P - R 6 ch R x P

43 R - K 7 ch K - B

44 R - B 7 ch K - K 1.

45 K x R B - Q 4

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The pairing for the fourth round to-day is: 4. Southard (Harvard) vs. Falk (Columbia). 2. Arenaberg (Harvard) vs. Meyer (Columbia). 3. Weston (Princeton) vs. Cook (Yale). 4. Ely (Princeton) vs. Webb (Yale).

R'ACING.

LOUISVILLE'S POOLROOMS CLOSED.

upon the poolroom interests, which resulted in the three rooms in this city being raided Saturday, and over one hundred and twenty-five men were ar over one hundred and twenty-ne men were ar-rested. These were dismissed at a preliminary hearing, but, as the Grand Jury had announced its intention to continue raiding them, the proprietors came into the Criminal Court this morning and stated that they had determined to close their doors permanently. They said that they surren-dered unconditionally. In view of this fact, all pending indictments against them have been dis-

RESULTS AT NEW-ORLEANS. New-Orleans, Dec. 28.-Weather fine and track

Lotterer was the only successful favorite.

Summaries:

First race (selling: six furlongs)—Loiterer, 107 (C. Combs), 9 to 5, won; Eight Helis, 89 (Troxler), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; Locust Blossom, 92 (Southard), 50 to 1, third. Time—114.

Second race (five furlongs)—Rosalia, 100 (Hothersoll), 12 to 1, won; Sidtilla, 100 (Lines), 30 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Cathedral, 108 (O'Leary), 3 to 1, third. Time—1:03.

Third race (selling: mile and a sixteenth)—Bequeath, 90 (Troxler), 3 to 1, won; Oxnard, W3 (Dupee), 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Annie Taylor, 10 (O'Conbor), 3 to 1, third. Time—1:50.

Fourth race (selling: mile and a sixteenth)—Tranby, 60 (Frost), 5 to 1, won; Friar John, 101 (Hothersoll), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Flop, 40 (Dupee), 10 to 1, third. Time—1:50%.

Fifth race (six and a half furlongs)—Banrica, 104 (Kuhn), 20 to 1, won; Ben Frost, 109 (Mason), 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; Lady Fitzsimmons, 109 (Frost), 25 to 1, third. Time—1:22%.

WINNERS AT OAKLAND. San Francisco, Dec. 28.-Weather clear and track

fast at Oakland to-day. Summaries: First race (Futurity Course, selling)—Wyoming, 107 (Piggott), 2 to 1, won; Cavello, 107 (Gray), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Glen Ann, 107 (1, Powell), 10 to 1, third. Time—1:11.

Second race (six furlongs)—Palka, 103 (C. Sloan), 15 4 to 1, second; Glen Ann, 10: (1. Fowen), 10 to 1, than 1: Second race (six furlongs)—Polka, 103 (C. Sloan), 15 to 1, won; Dunpraise, 111 (Beauchamp), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Midlove, 108 (Thorpe), 1 to 3, third. Time—1:15 %, Third race (six furlongs)—Guilder, 107 (N. Turner), 2 to 1, won; Ulm, 87 (J. Ward), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Diara, 94 (W. H. Martin), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:15 %, Fourth race (selling, mile and a quarter)—Robert Bonner, 90 (H. Brown), 5 to 1, won; Myth, 101 (Thorpe), 2 to 1 and 7 to 10, second; Mistleton, 100 (McNicolis), 4 to 1, third. Time—2:06 %, Fifth race (selling, one mile)—Hobenlohe, 107 (Thorpe), 2 to 1, won; Imperious, 106 (Piggott), 4 to 5 and out, second; Bonnie Ione, 109 (N. Turner), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:42 %.

ond: Bonnie Ione, 109 (N. Turner), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:42½; Sixth race (selling, six furlongs)—Midlight, 105 (Rutter), 2 to 1, won; Fracetto, 107 (N. Turner), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Libertine, 112 (H. Shields), 5 to 1, third. Time— 1:13½.

ITS COMMON NAME.

Policeman McManus, of the West Sixty-eighth-st. station, yesterday arraigned "Tom" Callahan, sixteen years old, of No. 66 Columbus-ave., in the West "What have you been doing?" asked Magistrate

"Playin' 'shinney.' " answered the boy 'Shinney'? What sort of a game is 'shinney'?"

asked the Magistrate gravely."
"It's commonly called golf, Your Honor," an swered the policeman.
"Sure, he has as much right to play shinney as some others to play golf." put in the boy's mother.
Magistrate Brann, thought that no one had a right to play either "shinney" or golf in the small park in front of the Hotel Empire, at Sixty-third-st, and the Boulevard, but discharged the player.

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ICE-YACHTING.

THE SNOWDRIFT'S DOUBLE VICTORY AN IN TERESTING ONE TO THOSE CON-NECTED WITH THE SPORT.

Newburg, Dec. 28 (Special).-The racing of the ice yachts has now begun in earnest, and the members of the Orange Lake Ice Yacht Club are looking forward to a general contest of the fleets in the present cold snap. The double victory of Vice-Commodore Willett Kidd's racer, the Snow drift, in yesterday's races, proved highly interest-ing to the assembled yachtsmen, though it put rather a damper on some hopes. It was thought that the Cold Wave, which has been recently redraughted by an expert, would make a better sh

Higginson, who possesses three iceboat flyers, two of which, the Windward and the Cold Wave, are at Orange Lake, while the third is on the Hudson near Poughkeepsie. In the present dimensions of the Cold Wave there has evidently been an attempt to make good designing and good placing of sail effort defeat the brute force of larger boats. Some ice-yachtsmen have argued that brute force is not everything in this sport, and they have instanced the case of the Icicle, the biggest iceboat ever built, being beaten by smaller racers on the Hudson. Yesterday's races did not throw much light on the argument, because the Cold Wave, the smallest of the three chief contestants, was beaten by the Snowdrift, while the largest of this trio, the Troubler, was also beaten.

The Troubler, owned and sailed by Robert Kernahan, with one or two of his sons, is 39.07 feet on the centre timber, with a track beam between forward skates of 22.05 feet, and a sail area of 523 square feet. The Snowdrift is 41 feet on the centre timber, with a track of 23 feet, and a sail area of 486 feet. The Cold Wave is 41.03 feet on the centre timber, with a 19:08 track and only 431% square feet of sail. Here the advantage seemed to be, not with the boat that had the biggest sail area, but to the boat that had the most beam. The Troubler had 38 feet more sail than the winner, the Snowdrift, but seven inches less beam.

rachtsmen, for if it be allowed, as is perhaps necessary, that all the racers were equally well sailed, the differences must be looked for in the re-spective constructions, and it is in tests of this kind that the development of the ice-racer must be sought. The fact that Vice-Commodore Kidd's kind that the development of the jce-racer must be sought. The fact that Vice-Commodore Kidd's Snowdrift was able yesterday to win the challenge cup of 1885 in 21 minutes against E. Walsh's Arctic, and the second race for the Higginson Cup in 28 minutes, beating the second boat, the Troubler, by 2 minutes, seems to show that beam is a controlling factor in the game. In this race, besides the Troubler and the Cold Wave, the Snowdrift also beat the new racer, the Æolus, owned by George C. Trimble, and the sloop Flying 2b, owned by Frank G. Wood. The Arctic carries 46, square feet of sail, almost the same as the winner, while the Æolus has a centre timber length of 28 feet, a track beam of 15.08 feet, and carries only 300 feet of sail. The centre timber of the Flying Jib is 32.08 feet, her beam between skates is 16.06 feet, and she carries 36 feet of canvas.

The course that the fleets of the Orange Lake Ice Yacht Club race over is a two-mile triangle, which has to be sailed five times to make the requisite total of ten miles. The number of turns which have to be made in sailing the full course do not contribute toward making extra good time, and the best speed of leeboats when running in chosen directions cannot well be guessed at by outsiders from the times made over triangular courses. This is because the great speed attained when the boats are in the wind decreases when they have to sail down the wind or before it. Boots that can make skyty or seventy miles an hour on the wind can never hope to make as good going round the whole of a triangular course.

MR. HUBBELL AGAIN SAYS FAREWELL.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 28 .- For the first time in the PRESIDES FOR THE LAST TIME AT A MEETING

For the second time, yesterday, Charles Bulkley Hubbell, president of the Board of Education, whose term of office expires with the present year, was called on to say farewell to his colleagues. business of the Board at its meeting yesterday, Commissioner Swanstrom, of Brooklyn, introduced a resolution thanking Mr. Hubbell, on behalf of the Board, for his services. President Hubbell responded, saying that he was thankful to each member of the Board of Educa-tion for their kind words. He continued: "You have been and are trustees of the most extensive educational trust in the world. You have

been custodians of \$48,000,000. Thirteen millions have spent wisely this year. You have had the welfare of ten thousand educators and four hundred thousand school children in your hands How well you have exercised and completed your duties under the great handicap of financial disability can only be seen by those who know.

Commissioner E. Ellery Anderson will entertain President Hubbell at a dinner at the Metropolitan Club. Fifth-ave, and Sixtieth-st., to-night.

It was decided vesterday that the city public school system should be represented at the Paris Exposition in 1901, and the Committee on School System was instructed to communicate with the United States Commissioner of Education as to the conditions under which the school system of New-York could be represented.

A motion was also adopted by the Board to revoke the system of minimum licenses for teachers so as to obtain a sufficient number of teachers to fill temporary vacancies, which are now many, owing to the prevalence of the grip.

Prior to the Board meeting the trustees of the Normal College convened and considered a motion to raise the salaries of the professors from 4.000 to 34.500 per annum, and that of President Webb from 47.500 to 38.250. After considerable discussion the question was laid over to some future time. Commissioner E. Ellery Anderson will entertain

LOOKING FOR A CABLE SHIP.

Colonel Kimball, of the Quartermaster's Department, in the Army Building, has received orders War Department to secure at once an tron ship of from 1,000 to 1,200 tons for use as a cable ship to lay cables to connect the Islands of the Philippines. The Department has already ordered for this purpose 166 miles of marine cable, weighing 525 tons. This cable will take about 6,500 cubic feet for coiling. The cable is to be coiled in skeleton tanks in different holds on the vessel. The cable ship must accommodate on the forward deck the "giving-out" machinery, which will weigh from fifteen to twenty tons, and the accessories, weighing from five to ten tons. In the after hold will be fitted out the quarters for the crew of twenty men. This space will be used for coal on the way out. The ship will be kept on station as a cable ship, or can, if necessary, be used as a transport. She is to be secured at once.

BOOK TRADE DRUMMERS DINE. The Association of Commercial Travellers of the Book and Stationery Trade of New-York held its fourteenth annual dinner last night at the Hotel Marlborough. Covers were laid for seventy-five H. M. Caldwell, the retiring president, presided. Before the dinner there was a business meeting, at which these officers were elected to serve during 1899: F J. Noonan, president; James Bates, vice-president; John Black, treasurer, and Charence Colwell, secretary.

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ON the third day of January we shall ask the attention of our friends, the Public, to very large offerings of Garments and Goods in White. It is contradictory to offer goods of this character in the mid-winter month. But we have proved our ability to so command values and terms that the incongruity of time disappears in the economy of

The leading stock will be Muslin Underwear, and the magnitude of our preparations appears in the fact that we have collected One Million Garments to meet the demand of this occasion. Many other goods will be associated with the Muslin Underwear

Our leadership in these White occasions is sustained by a succession of twenty-two semi-annual offerings and, therefore, imitation is quite natural. There are reasons peculiar to our own management, and exclusive to ourselves, for the low prices that are not enjoyed elsewhere.

Details will be published in the newspapers of Tuesday next.

Less than three Lowered Prices on hundred remain Velour Garments of the nearly four thousand velour jackets and capes we brought from Paris. With this weather, plus their own rich beauty, plus the attractive prices that we now mention, the three hundred will follow the other thirty-seven hundred in short order.

Handsomer garments than these cannot be. You know the possibilities of velour and jet, velour and fur, in skilled hands. Sara Mayer's and Briaumont's and Gerson's were the hands that put these together.

Note especially the beautiful line of Capes for elderly people. In them is united the maximum of warmth and comfort with the extreme of tasteful elegance. Not a frequent combination.

Cheapness joins hands with the other factors now.

Prices were \$34 to \$125 Prices are \$20 to \$75 All the styles are exclusively ours. You

will meet no one else with your jacket on. Second Floor, Breadway.

Clear-up of Girls' Dresses

There remain from a season's great selling two lots of pretty, stylish dresses that we wish to close out quickly. Ruthless price-cuts will doubtless accomplish the desired result. These are one and two-piece dresses for girls 6 to 14

At \$5—Of serge and novelty goods; prettily made and trimmed. Most of this lot were priced—moderately priced—at double.

At \$10—Dresses in late styles, elegantly made and trimmed. Priced fairly these were \$13.50, \$14 and \$15.

Second Floor, Broadway.

Children's Caps Some of the prettiest __the choicest_caps and Bonnets and bonnets of the season, for children 2 to 4 years, are ordered to depart to-day. Mostly in light shades, handsomely trimmed with lace, fur, ribbon and feathers. A few are slightly soiled, though hardly noticeable. Certainly not enough to warrant reductions like these:

Those that were \$4 to \$18, Are now \$2 to \$8. Eiderdown robes, sizes 2 to 14 years,

made like those worn by children of larger growth, at \$1.65 to \$3. Pretty pinks and Second floor, Fourth avenue. A Quick Little It will not last over to-day, but it's good while

tures, the most popular of all. These are

wonderful room-brighteners, and cost less

Picture Sale it lasts. It's a sale of all the odd pictures left from the Christmas selling, especially of the glass medallion pic-

\$1.75 to \$6.50 Were \$2.25 to \$8.50

Again, the Twenty thousand yards of the daintiest Organdies New Organdies York has seen have gone to far-seeing purchasers in the last two days. Fifty thousand yards remain this morning.

In less than a hundred days you will be hunting for these goods and paying the regular prices,-twenty-five to thirty-five cents a yard. Then you will hunt for a dress-

maker not too busy to make the gown. To-day you can choose from seventy-five exquisite patterns at

Twelve-and-a-Half Cents a Yard

and you will find the dressmaker with ample leisure. True economy is based on prevision. Look ahead a little, and look at these goods.

Woven in Alsace, printed in Massachusetts. The fabric itself is the best in the whole world. The French printing costs more, but it isn't any prettier. Fourth avenue.

Trilogy our Clothing Store than any others we have had the pleasure of presenting. They are all offers of last week, and they are good enough to repeat:-Men's Trousers, at \$5 a pair. Made of fine worsted and just the sort that generally costs \$7 and often \$8.

A Clothing These three offers have made more new acquaintances for

Men's Kersey Overcoats, at \$13.50. Black or blue; raw edges; lap seam; wool lining with satin shoulders. An \$18 overcoat, and one of the best and biggest clothing offers ever made in this city.

Men's Overcoats, at \$8.50. Only a few of these are left. Made of black or blue kersey, and well made. An overcoat for at least two seasons, and a handsome one at that. Fair price, \$12. ond floor, Fourth avenue

Told yesterday of an offer-Dinner Set ing of dinner sets at a great saving. A great number of Sale sets were sold during the day. A few only remain. Slightly imper-

brought \$60.

Handsome pieces.

fect-one or two small pieces missing from a set. There's a good deal missing from the first prices. Thus:-Porcelain Dinner Sets at \$8; were \$12.
French China Dinner Sets, at \$15; the \$25 kind; at \$20 for the \$35 quality; and at \$35 for those that

This is close to a Half Medallion Price story, one of the Punch Bowls post-Christmas and ante-New Year chances that will interest you. The goods are of Chinese make and in characteristic Chinese decorations, -deep green and dull gold, -not so vivid as rich.

> 11 inch, at \$4.25; were \$8.50. 11 1/4 inch, at \$4.75; were \$9. 13 1-4 inch, at \$6.50; were \$11. 15 inch, at \$9; were \$15.

There are others in Japanese ware, -blue and white, \$1.25 to \$3.

WANAMAKER

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REVENUE INSPECTOR A SUICIDE.

SHOOTS HIMSELF IN BED-WAS SUFFERING FROM

LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA.

Robert Bloomfield Boyd, who was for thirty-five years an inspector in the Internal Revenue De partment, committed suicide yesterday morning ov shooting himself in the head, in his room on the top floor of the boarding-house, kept by sister, Mrs. Edward Solomon, at No. 161 East Thirty-sixth-st. Boyd was appointed an inspector by President Buchanan, and during the Civil War served on a revenue cutter. He continued in the Department until Mr. Cleveland's second term as President, when he was removed. He was a strong Republican, and for ten years was president of the Republican Club of the XVIIth Assembly

District. He once ran for the Assembly, but was

Mr. Boyd was a widower, having no children. He was sixty-five years old. For the last two years he had been ill, and for the last six months was confined to his bed with locomotor ataxia. Two weeks ago he was told by Dr. Lusk, who has an office in East Thirty-fifth-st., that his compiaint was incurable. Boyd said that he "might as well shoot himself and go to Abraham's as well shoot himself and go to Abraham's bosom." The Doctor told him he would not get to Abraham's bosom if he shot himself. Boyd replied that he would rely on God's mercy.

On Christmas Day Boyd, who had several brothers and sisters, expected some of them to call on him at his room. He looked forward to this, and when none of them called he became morose and dojected. Yesterday morning, after breakfast, Mrs. Solomon went to her brother's room to give him her usual matutinal greeting. She discovered him lying on the bed with a bullet-hole in his head behind the right car. A policeman from the East Thirty-fifth-st, station was summoned, and in turn summoned an ambulance from Bellevue Hospital, but Boyd was already dead.

OUTPUT OF LOCOMOTIVES AND CARS. "The Railroad Gazette," in its yearly statistics of the output of locomotives and cars, says that in the last year all the contracting locomotive shops in the United States outside of the railroad shops constructed 1.855 locomotives, as against 1,251 last year. This is an increase of 624, or almost 50 per cent. This increase comes within 71 of represent-ing the total output of ISM, and is greater by 218 than the increase of 1895 over 1894, which increase was the largest since 1887. The total output of cars will aggregate 105,15s. of which 28,809 are freight, 699 passenger and 4,650 street cars. Of these 1,803 were for export. The last year was the best for the carbuilding industry since 1899, the record-breaking year, when the total number of freight and passenger cars built by contracting firms was 103,000.

ARGUMENT ON MOORE CASE DELAYED. Justice Smith in the Supreme Court yesterday ad-

ourned the hearing of the application for a cerificate of reasonable doubt in the case of W. A. E. Moore, who was sentenced on Tuesday to nineteer years in Sing Sing for working the "badger game" on Martin Mahon, for another week. The adon Martin Manon, for another weak. The ar-journment was granted on the ground that Moore's counsel had had no time in which to prepare for the argument of his motion. District-Attorney Gardiner and Assistant District-Attorney McIntyre strenuously resisted an adjournment of the argu-

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ment, but were overruled. Later it was decided to defer the argument until Wednesday next, instead of Tuesday.

TO SELL MONEY ORDERS AT NIGHT. Postmaster Van Cott, has decided to establish branch of the money-order department at one of the mail delivery windows on the ground floor of the General Postoffice, which will be kept open for business between the hours of 4 p. m. and midnight. This will be for the accommodation of those who wish to obtain money orders after 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the main office is closed. The new branch will be opened on January 3 for a month's trial. If the business done warrants it the branch will be continued permanently.

THE MARY E. CROSBY WRECKED. Branford, Conn., Dec. 28.-The three-masted

schooner Mary E. Crosby, of Portsmouth, N. H., bound from Perth Amboy to New-Bedford with a cargo of coal, was wrecked off the Thimble Islands early this morning. She will be a total wreck. The

but a greater impairer of digestion."-Florence Nightingale.